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Second Preliminary Amendment

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Sir:

Please amend this application as follows:

In the Specification

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.173, please insert the following new paragraph in column 8, between lines 42 and 43:

The thickness of individual protective layers can be, for example, from 1 nm to 150,000 nm. Examples of the thickness of the individual protective layers are 1 nm, 2.5 nm, 5 nm, 40 nm, 50 nm, 100 nm, 187.5 nm, 200 nm, 375 nm, 750 nm, 1,500 nm, 7,500 nm, 15,000 nm, 75,000 nm and 150,000 nm.

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